ACCESS' 21st Century Community Learning Centers

"Soaring Beyond Expectations"

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Why are after school programs so important?

Imagine...

...that during out-of-school hours, youth have a safe place to go, meaningful academic and recreational activities to actively take part in, and adults who can guide their choices...

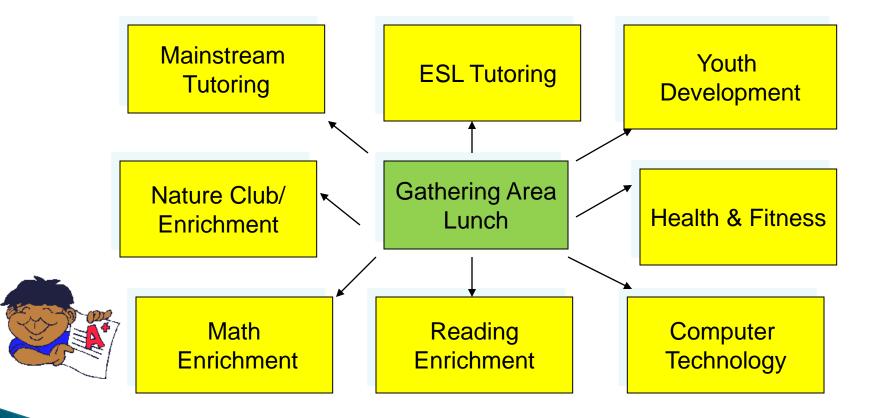
That possibility is a reality with the 21st Century Community Learning Centers.





Daily Activities







Located in 9 schools:

- Salina Intermediate
- Lowrey School
- Miller Elementary
- William Ford Elementary
- **River Oaks Elementary**
- Fordson High School
- Advanced Technology Academy 7· 8.
- Bridge Academy
- Frontier International Academy 9.



Grades

3rd through 12th grade

How many students do we serve?

50-60 students are served at each school

Length of the program?

Monday through Thursdays between 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. September through June Summer Programming: June-August

High school students taking part in a community service project at Oakwood Common's retirement community...





Target Population/Demographics

Students performing in the lowest 40 percentile

- New immigrants
- Students with "at risk" behavior

**All of our students are referred by principals, teachers, resources teachers, and school social workers.

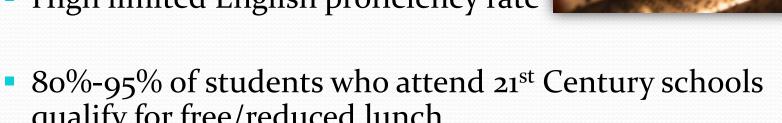
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Literacy rates/education levels:

Dearborn/Hamtramck 21st Century Families

- High poverty rate
- High illiteracy rate
- High limited English proficiency rate

qualify for free/reduced lunch



21st CCLC Program Goals

- Provide academic enrichment opportunities through interactive enrichment activities.
- Increase academic achievement
- Increase academic learning
- Increase student learning in non-academic areas
- Monitor students' attendance in program services
- Provide parental involvement opportunities & ESL education to parents of 21st Century students.

Program Objectives:



- Improve students' academic performance in Math & Reading.
 - 48% of students will improve ½ grade in Reading/Math
 - MEAP math and reading scores will improve for regularly attending students
 - 75% of students will show improvement in teacher-rated homework completion and class participation
- Enhance the level of English proficiency in LEP (limited English proficiency) students
 - 80% of students will show improvement in DRA and/or LEP scores
- Maximize participants' gains from program services
 - 80% of students will attend at least 4 days a week.
- Assist new immigrants in the process of acculturation
 - Increased number of wrap around services given to students through ACCESS and other resources.

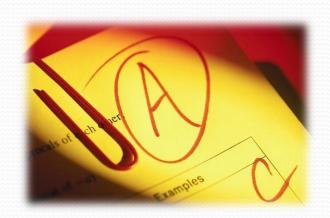
Program Objectives cont...



- Enhance students' social skills
 - 80% of students will show an increase in their social competency
 - 75% of students will show improve in teacher-rated classroom behavior
- Prepare students to become responsible citizens
 - 80% of students will show increased understanding of core values, leadership, community service.
- Increase parenting skills and parental involvement in the child's education.
 - 75% of parents will attend 80% of sessions/events.

Data Collected:

- State standardized test scores; i.e. MEAP
- District –Wide Common Assessments (Fall/Spring)
- After-school Pre-Post assessments
- Report card grades
- School attendance
- School discipline
- Day-time teacher surveys
- Student surveys
- Parent surveys



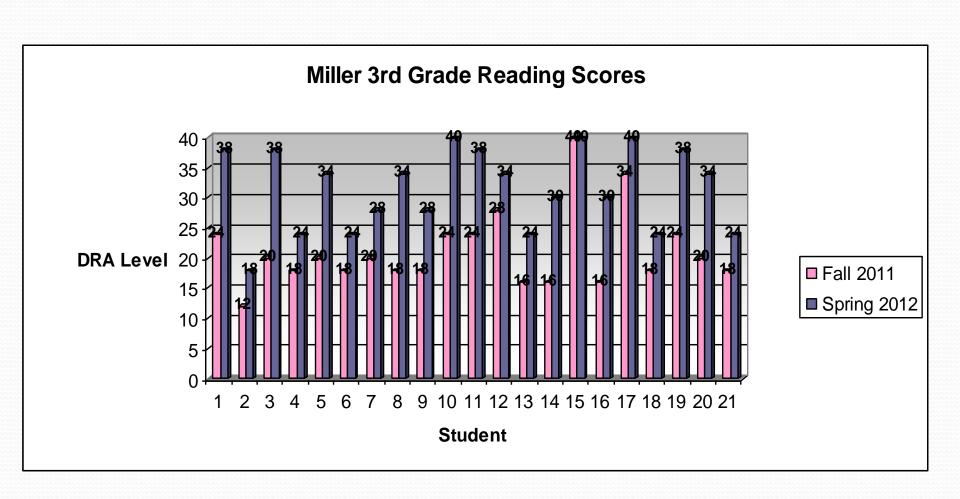
How do we collect data?

- Build trust and partnership with district
- Academic data is collected through the principal, resource teachers, and daytime teachers.
- Ongoing collection is crucial to guide after-school instruction
- Surveys: Parents/Teachers/Students



Sample Findings:

<u>Developmental Reading Assessment</u>: 100% of students have shown improvement; 62% are reading at or above grade level.



Sample Findings:

Math Common Assessment: 100% of students improved

Gain: 29.42 points

